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In re Liwerant, et al. : Group Art Unit: 2611
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on May 9, 2006 in the above matter. This paper supplements and replaces the amendment previously submitted on April 24, 2006.

Please disregard the amendment submitted on April 24, 2006, and enter the following amendments prior to examination on the merits:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.